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Material Encoder and System**

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF FINAL REJECTION

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Dear Sir or Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the final rejection dated May 20, 2005 in the above referenced patent application. Please enter and consider the following amendments and remarks in this Office Action response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.